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PLANET TERRY™
WIN THE SPACE GAMES OR PERISH, PLANET TERRY!
GULP! ..AND THIS IS THE EASY ONE!
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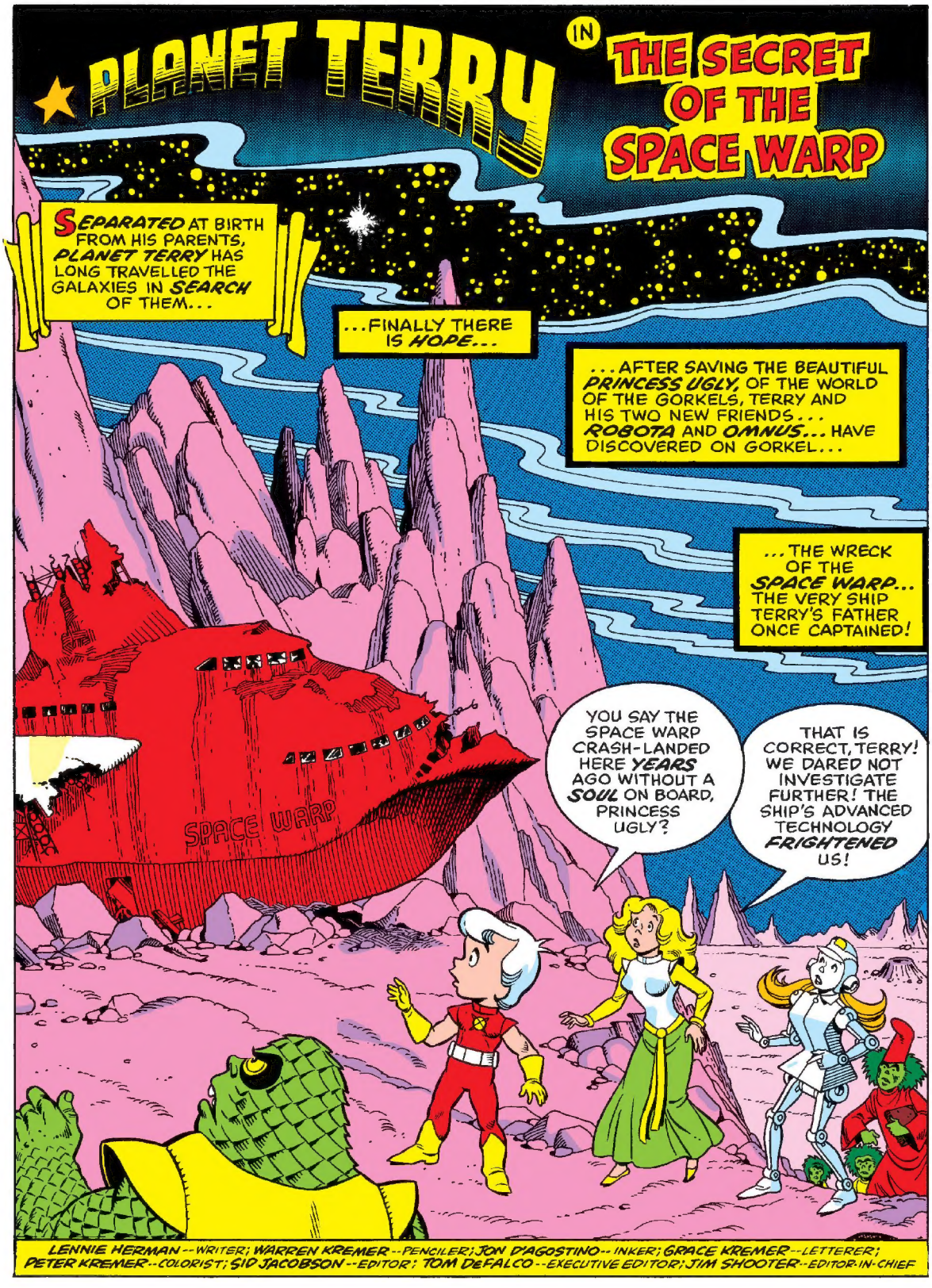

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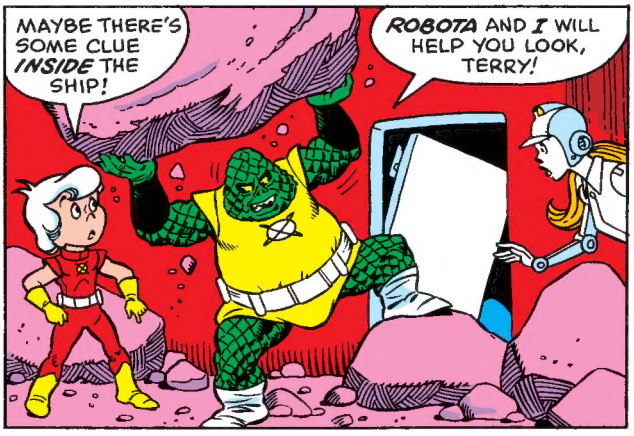
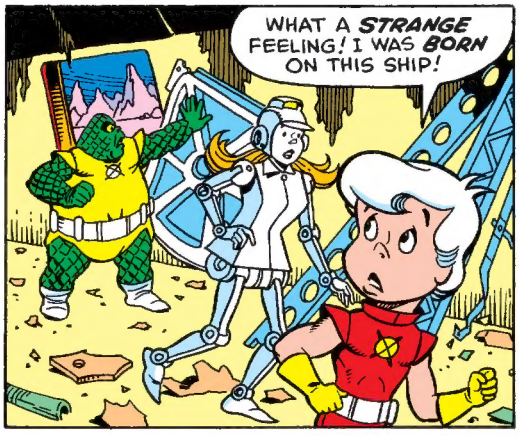
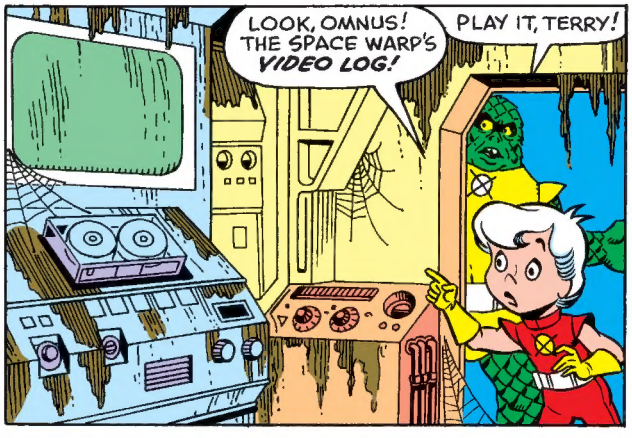
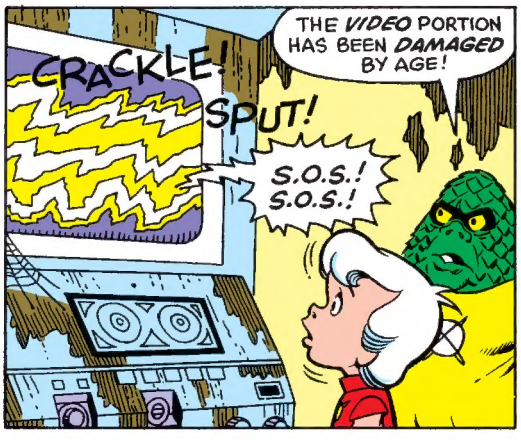
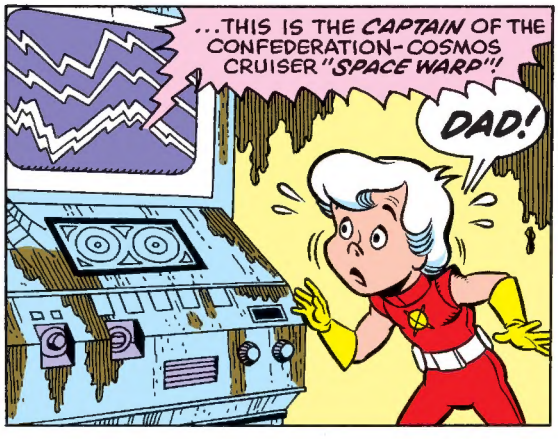
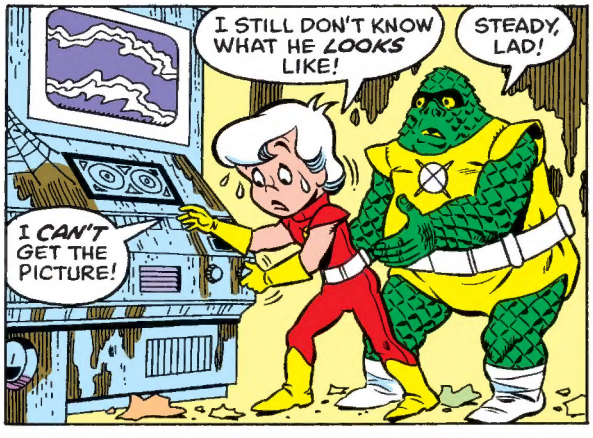

MAYBE THERE'S SOME CLUE *INSIDE* THE SHIP!
ROBOTA AND *I* WILL HELP YOU LOOK, TERRY!

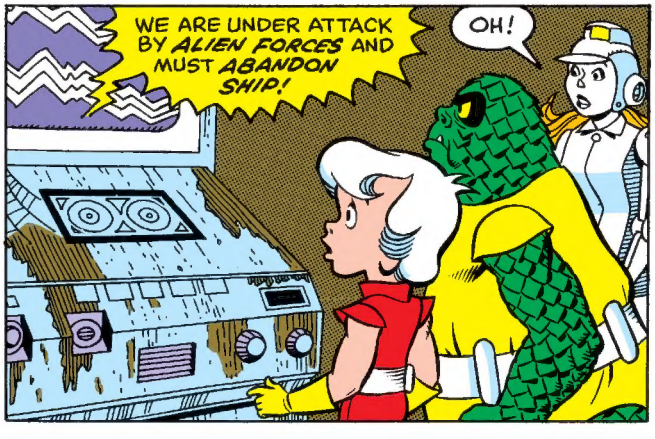

WHAT A *STRANGE* FEELING! I WAS *BORN* ON THIS SHIP!

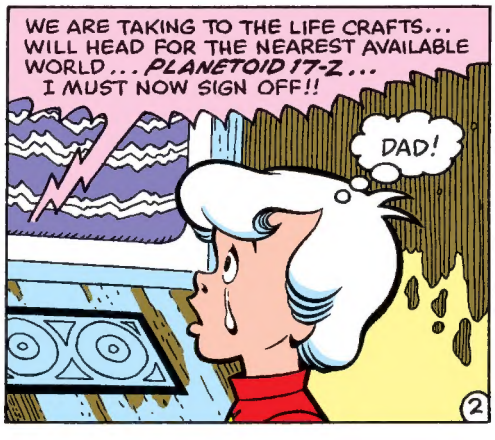

LOOK, OMNUS! THE SPACE WARP'S *VIDEO LOG!*
PLAY IT, TERRY!

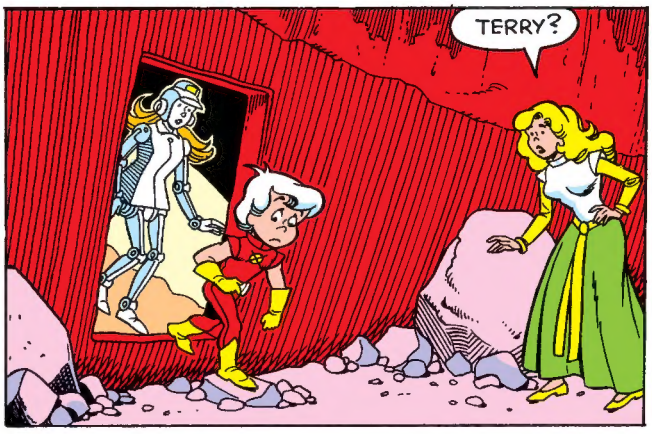

THE *VIDEO* PORTION HAS BEEN *DAMAGED* BY AGE!
CRACKLE!
SPUT!
S.O.S.! S.O.S.!

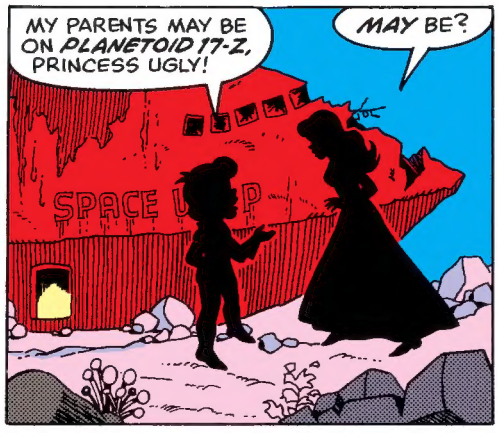

...THIS IS THE *CAPTAIN* OF THE CONFEDERATION-COSMOS CRUISER "*SPACE WARP*"!
DAD!

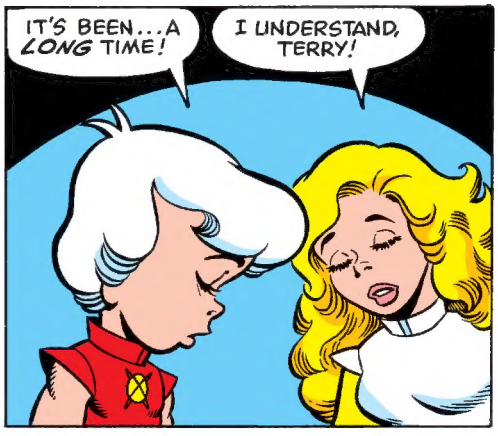

I STILL DON'T KNOW WHAT HE *LOOKS* LIKE!
STEADY, LAD!
I *CAN'T* GET THE PICTURE!

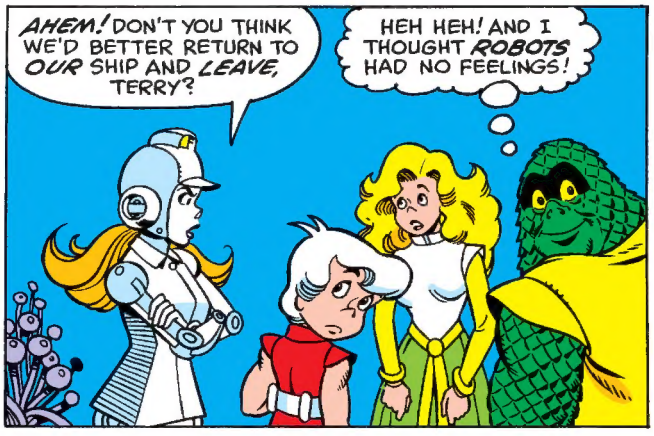

WE ARE UNDER ATTACK BY *ALIEN FORCES* AND MUST *ABANDON SHIP!*
OH!


WE ARE TAKING TO THE LIFE CRAFTS... WILL HEAD FOR THE NEAREST AVAILABLE WORLD... *PLANETOID 17-Z*... I MUST NOW SIGN OFF!!
DAD!

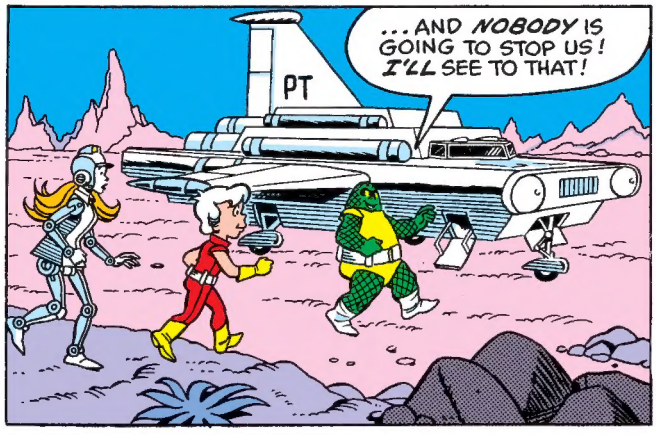

TERRY?


MY PARENTS MAY BE ON *PLANETOID 17-Z*, PRINCESS UGLY!
MAY BE?


IT'S BEEN... A *LONG* TIME!
I UNDERSTAND, TERRY!


AHEM! DON'T YOU THINK WE'D BETTER RETURN TO *OUR* SHIP AND *LEAVE*, TERRY?
HEH HEH! AND I THOUGHT *ROBOTS* HAD NO FEELINGS!

YES, LET'S TAKE OFF FOR *17-Z!* WE'LL FIND YOUR *MOM* AND *DAD*, TERRY!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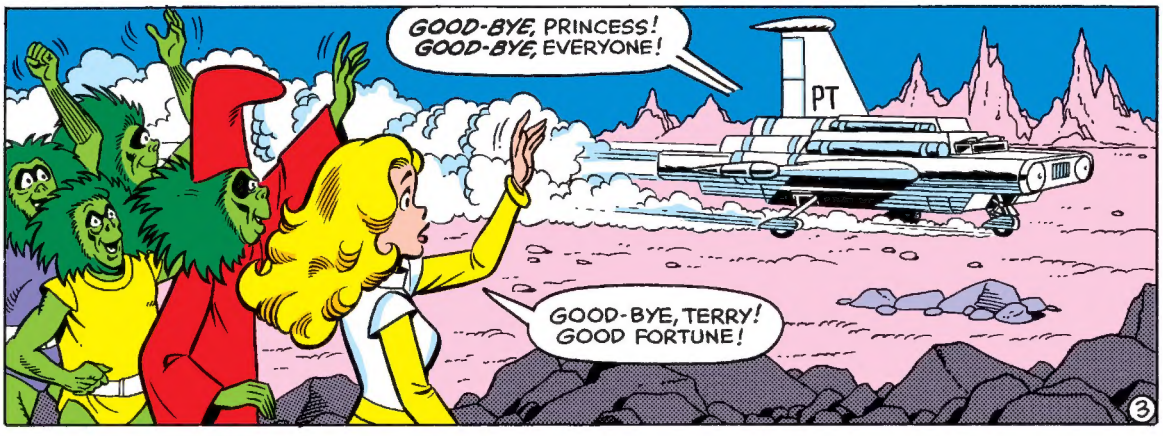
... AND *NOBODY* IS GOING TO STOP US! *I'LL* SEE TO THAT!


GOOD-BYE, PRINCESS! *GOOD-BYE*, EVERYONE!
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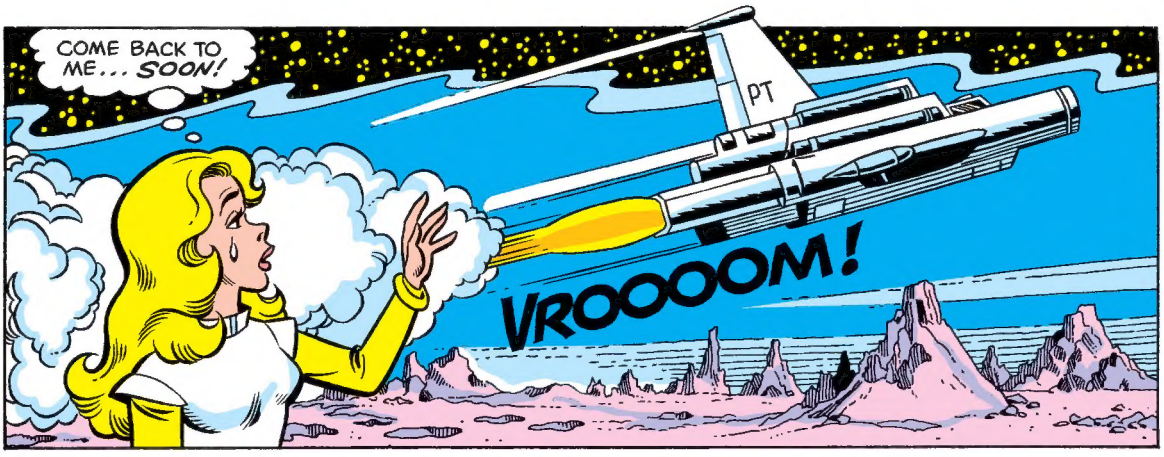
GOOD-BYE, TERRY! GOOD FORTUNE!


COME BACK TO ME... SOON!
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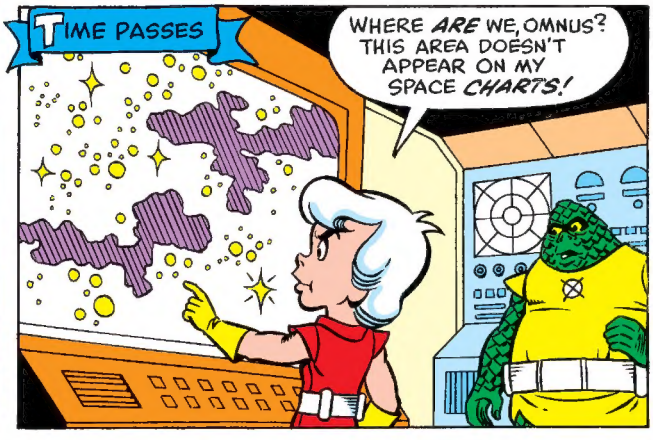
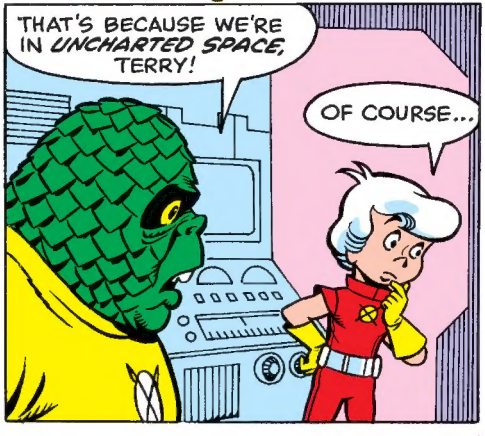
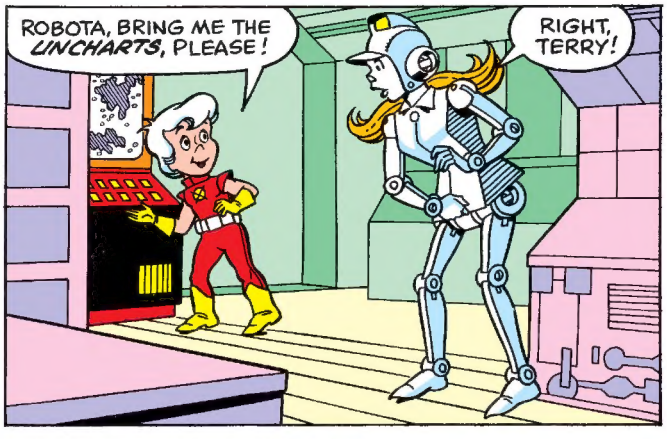
VROOOOM!

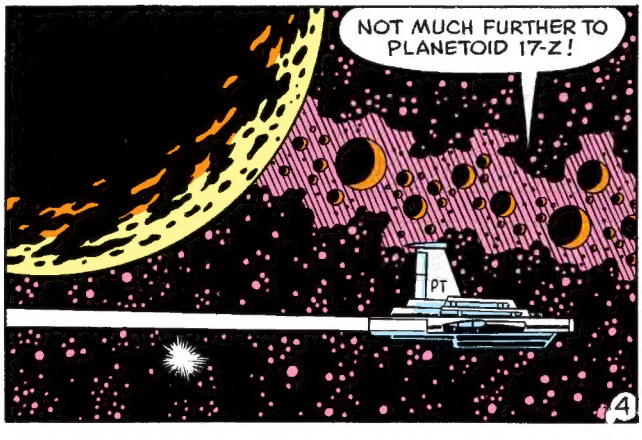
WE MUST FIND MY PARENTS!
POOR KID! THAT'S JUST A BLANK PICTURE FRAME THAT HE SIGNED BY HIMSELF! HE'S NEVER EVEN SEEN HIS PARENTS!
TO TERRY LOVE MOM & DAD


TIME PASSES
WHERE ARE WE, OMNUS? THIS AREA DOESN'T APPEAR ON MY SPACE CHARTS!


THAT'S BECAUSE WE'RE IN UNCHARTED SPACE, TERRY!
OF COURSE...


ROBOTA, BRING ME THE UNCHARTS, PLEASE!
RIGHT, TERRY!

AH, HERE WE ARE!


NOT MUCH FURTHER TO PLANETOID 17-Z!
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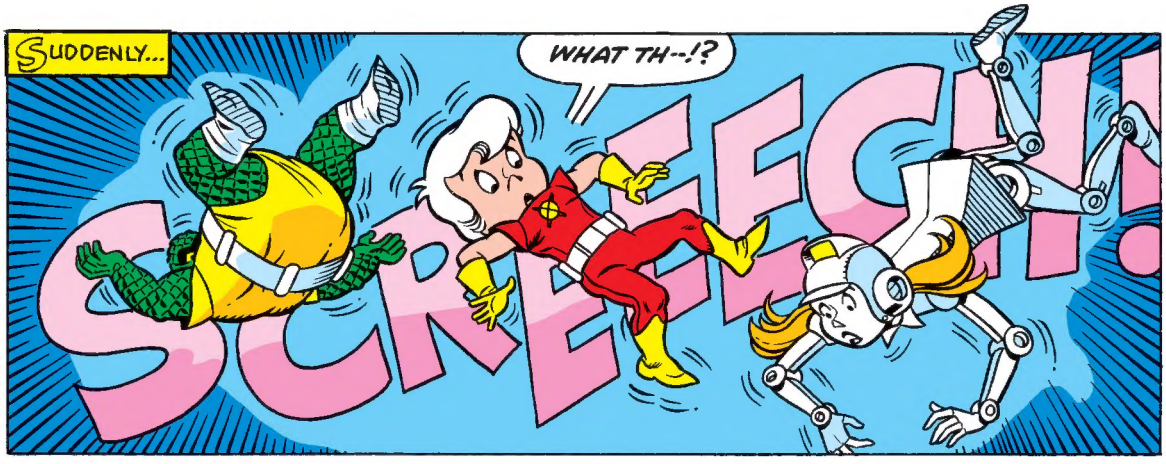
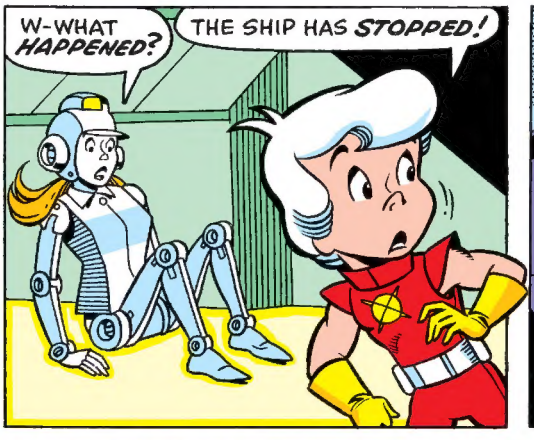
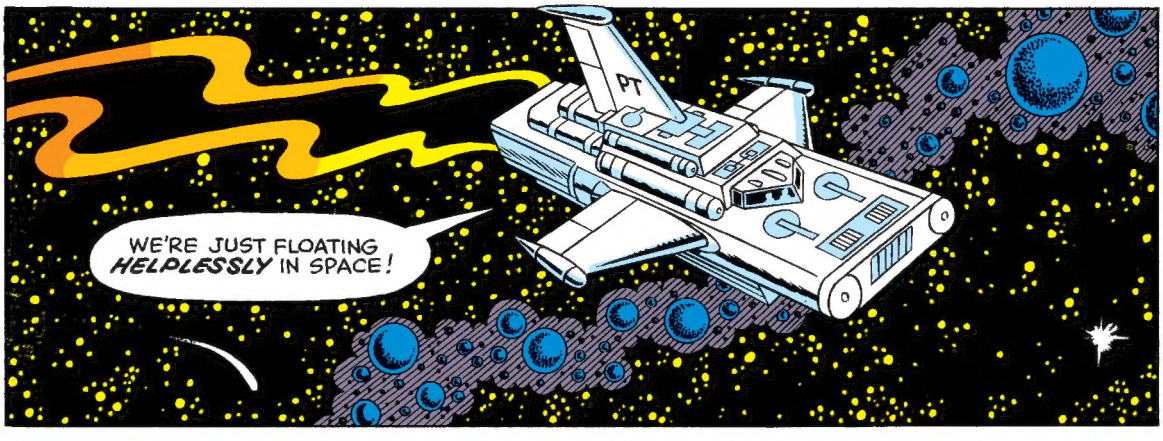

SUDDENLY...
WHAT TH--!?
SCREEECH!


W-WHAT HAPPENED?
THE SHIP HAS STOPPED!

THE CONTROLS HAVE GONE SLACK! WE CAN'T MOVE!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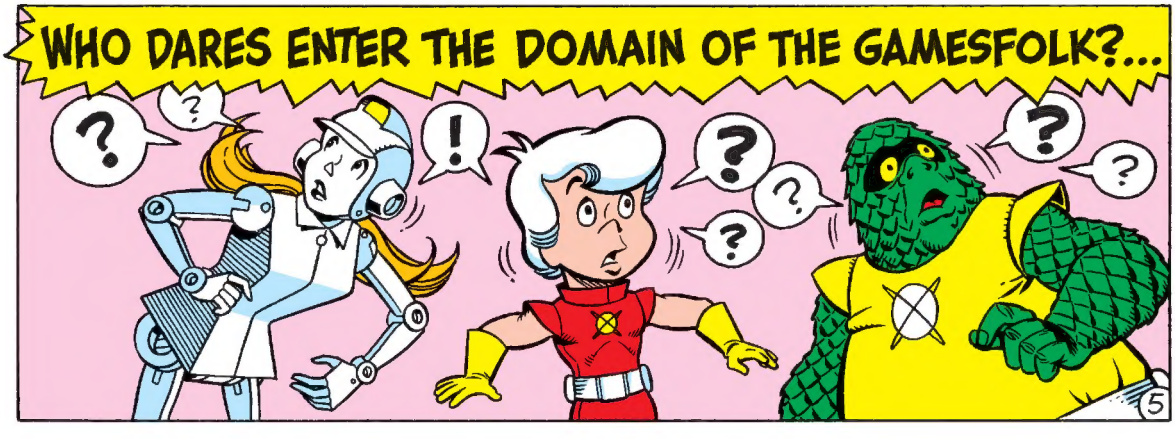
WE'RE JUST FLOATING HELPLESSLY IN SPACE!


WHO DARES ENTER THE DOMAIN OF THE GAMESFOLK?...
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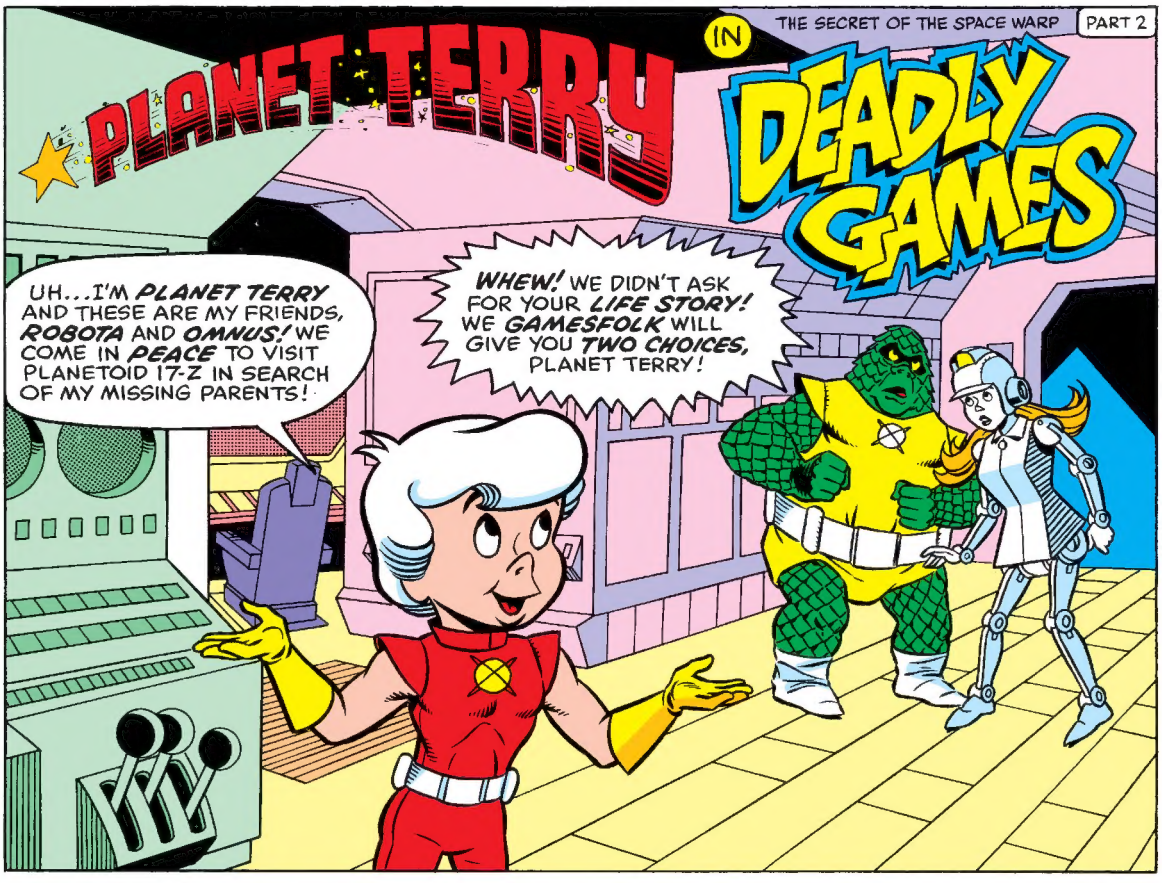
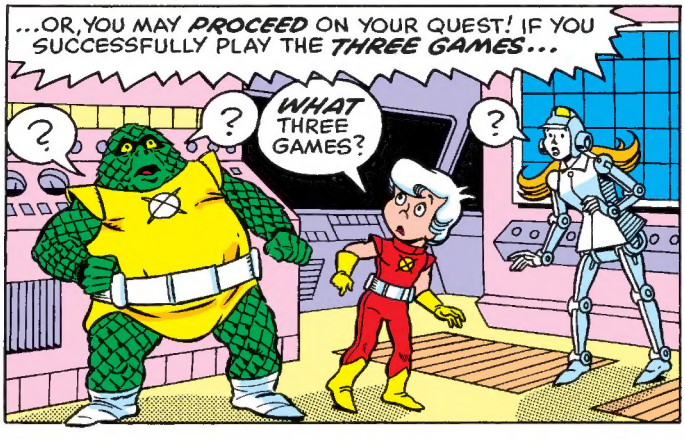

THE SECRET OF THE SPACE WARP
PART 2
PLANET TERRY
IN
DEADLY GAMES
UH...I'M PLANET TERRY AND THESE ARE MY FRIENDS, ROBOTA AND OMNUS! WE COME IN PEACE TO VISIT PLANETOID 17-Z IN SEARCH OF MY MISSING PARENTS!
WHEW! WE DIDN'T ASK FOR YOUR LIFE STORY! WE GAMESFOLK WILL GIVE YOU TWO CHOICES, PLANET TERRY!

YOU MAY TURN YOUR SHIP AROUND AND RETURN WHENCE YOU CAME...
OR?


...OR, YOU MAY PROCEED ON YOUR QUEST! IF YOU SUCCESSFULLY PLAY THE THREE GAMES...
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WHAT THREE GAMES?
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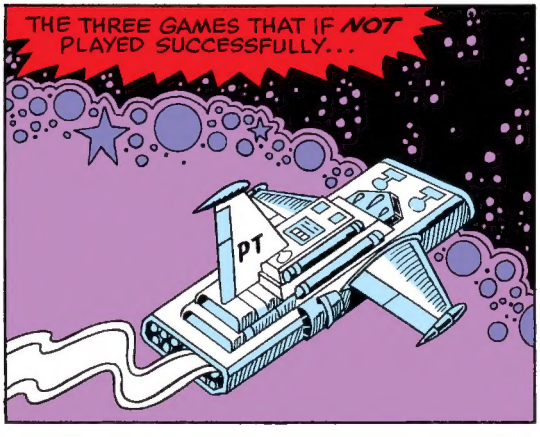
THE THREE GAMES THAT IF NOT PLAYED SUCCESSFULLY...
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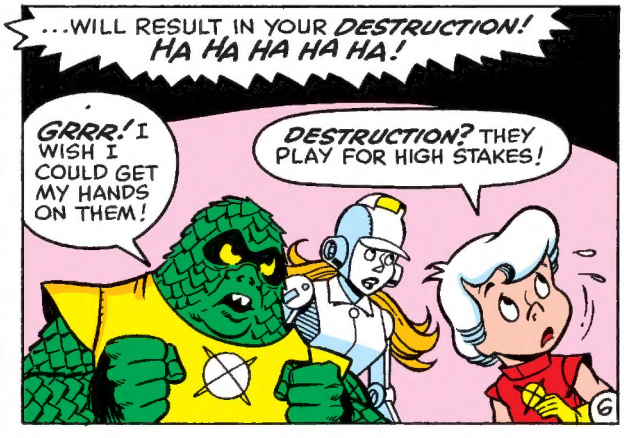
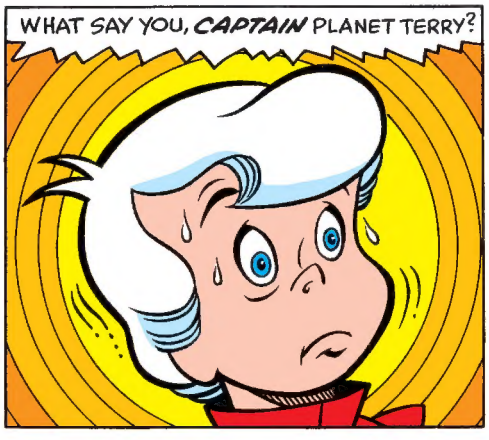
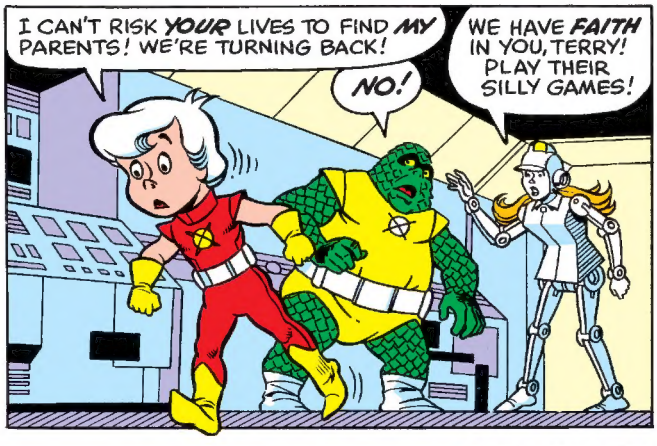

...WILL RESULT IN YOUR DESTRUCTION! HA HA HA HA HA!
GRRR! I WISH I COULD GET MY HANDS ON THEM!
DESTRUCTION? THEY PLAY FOR HIGH STAKES!

I AWAIT YOUR DECISION!
LET'S DO IT, TERRY!
YEAH! I'M GREAT AT GAMES!

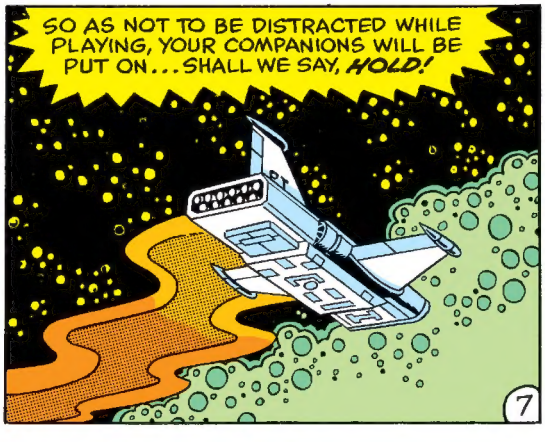
SILENCE! THE GAMES MAY BE PLAYED ONLY BY THE CAPTAIN OF YOUR SHIP!

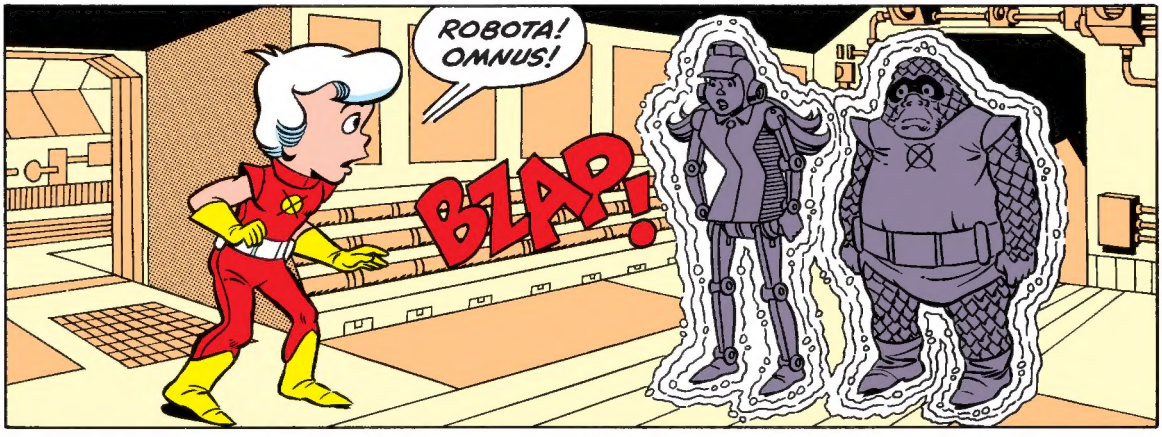

WHAT SAY YOU, CAPTAIN PLANET TERRY?


I CAN'T RISK YOUR LIVES TO FIND MY PARENTS! WE'RE TURNING BACK!
NO!
WE HAVE FAITH IN YOU, TERRY! PLAY THEIR SILLY GAMES!

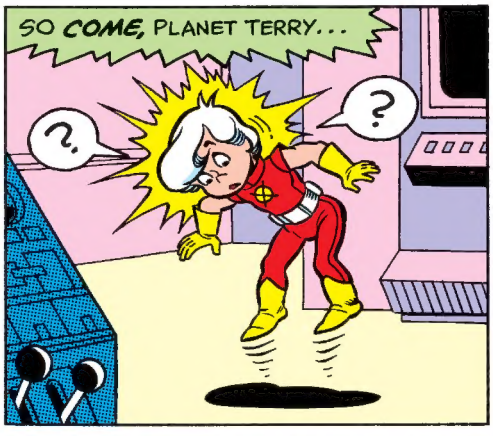
YOU HAVE FIVE SECONDS TO DECIDE!
GO FOR IT, TERRY!
YOU CAN DO IT, LAD!
O-OKAY!

I ACCEPT THE CHALLENGE OF THE GAMESFOLK!
YAY!
VERY WELL!


SO AS NOT TO BE DISTRACTED WHILE PLAYING, YOUR COMPANIONS WILL BE PUT ON... SHALL WE SAY, HOLD!


ROBOTA! OMNUS!
BZAP!

YOUR FRIENDS HAVE NOT BEEN HARMED! THEY SIMPLY CANNOT TALK OR MOVE! NOW IT IS TIME TO PLAY THE GAMES!


SO COME, PLANET TERRY...
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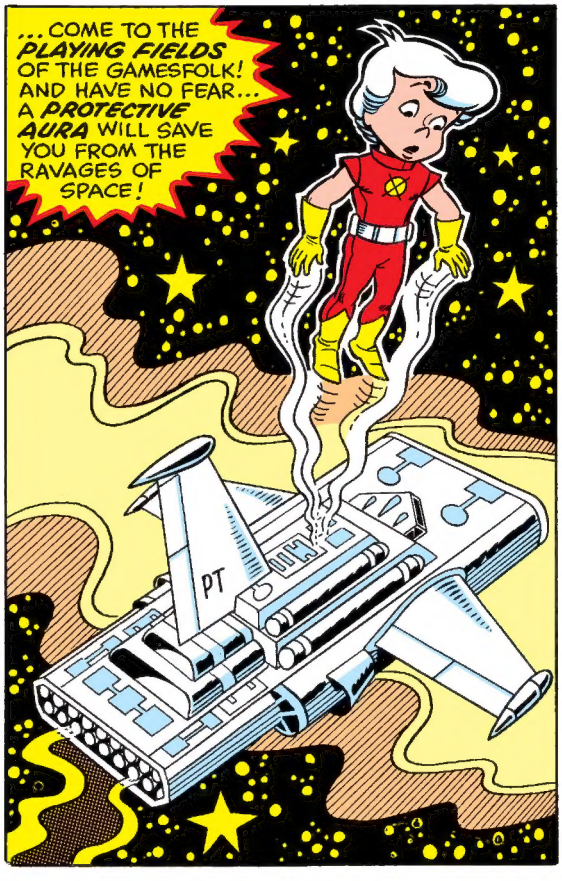
...COME TO THE PLAYING FIELDS OF THE GAMESFOLK! AND HAVE NO FEAR... A PROTECTIVE AURA WILL SAVE YOU FROM THE RAVAGES OF SPACE!
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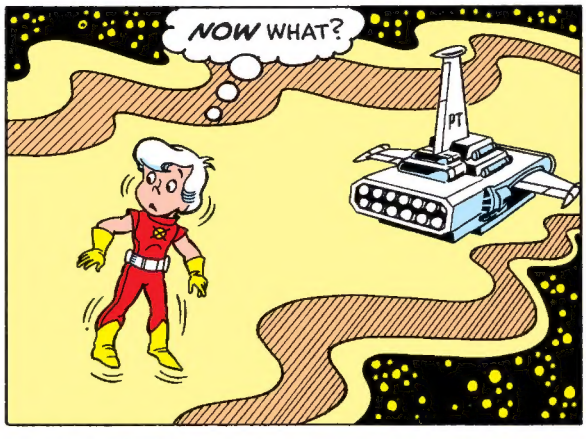
NOW WHAT?
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NOW YOU PLAY... GAME ONE!
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POP!

THE OBJECT OF *GAME ONE* IS TO PREVENT THE *DEVOURERS* FROM, HEH, HEH, *DEVOURING* YOUR *SHIP!*

GASP!

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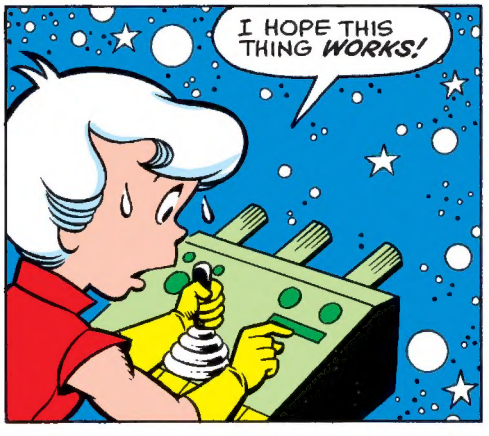

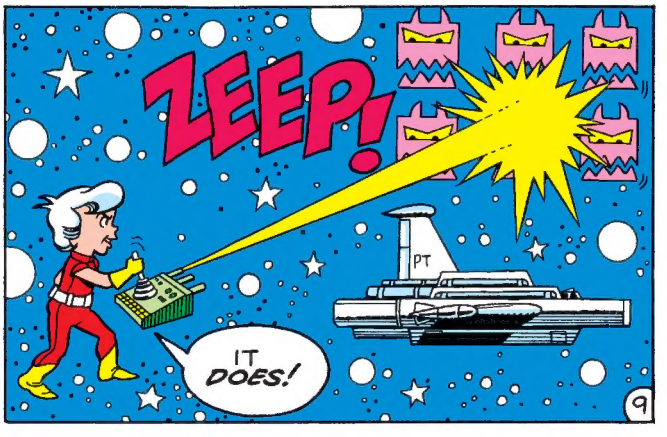

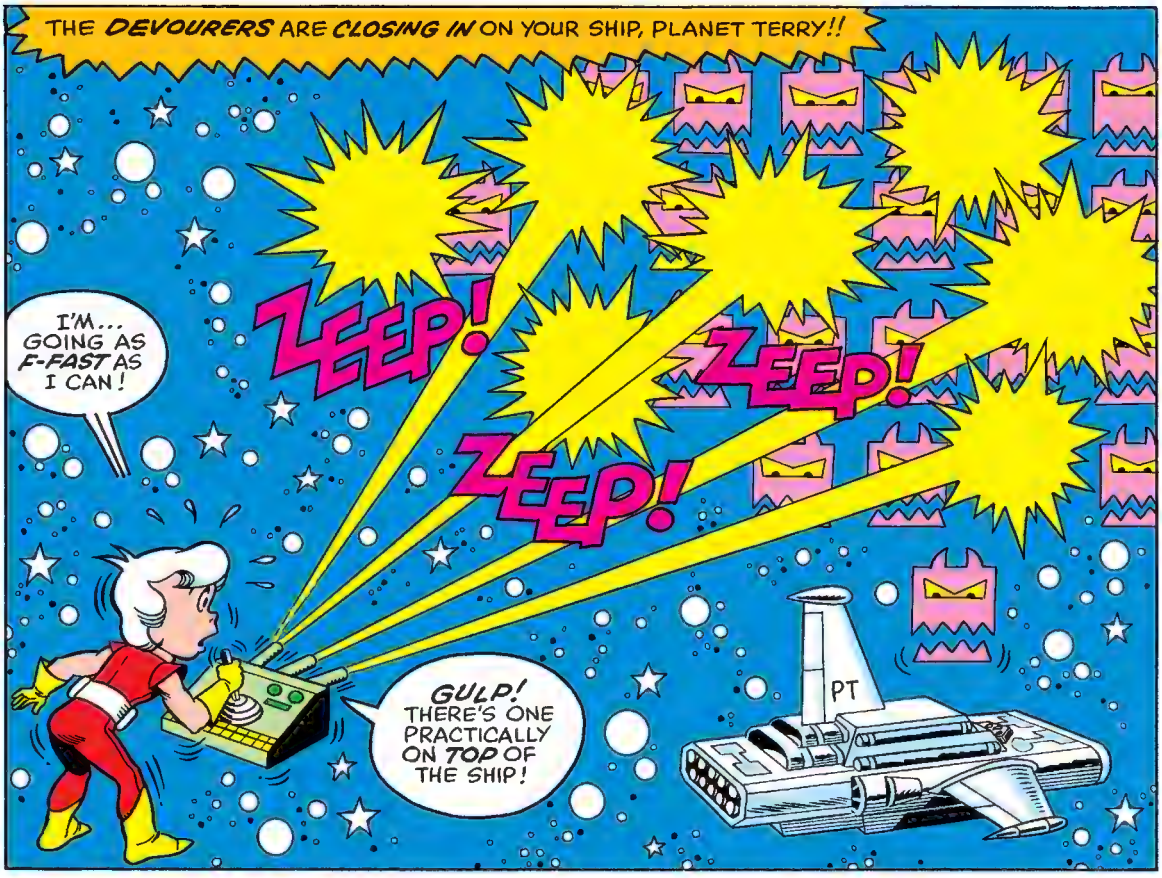
THE DEVOURERS ARE CLOSING IN ON YOUR SHIP, PLANET TERRY!!
I'M... GOING AS F-FAST AS I CAN!
ZEEP!
ZEEP!
ZEEP!
GULP! THERE'S ONE PRACTICALLY ON TOP OF THE SHIP!
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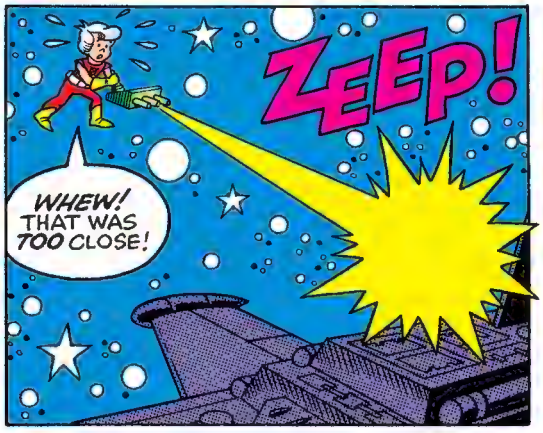
ZEEP!
WHEW! THAT WAS TOO CLOSE!

DARN! ONE OF THEM GOT AWAY!
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WELL PLAYED, PLANET TERRY!
WHEW!

AND NOW FOR GAME TWO!
POP!

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME!
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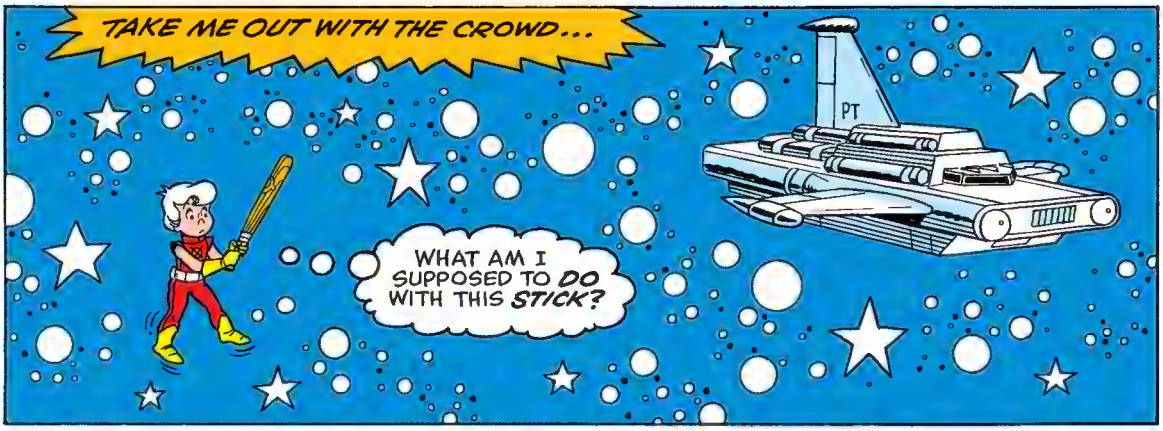
TAKE ME OUT WITH THE CROWD...
WHAT AM I SUPPOSED TO DO WITH THIS STICK?
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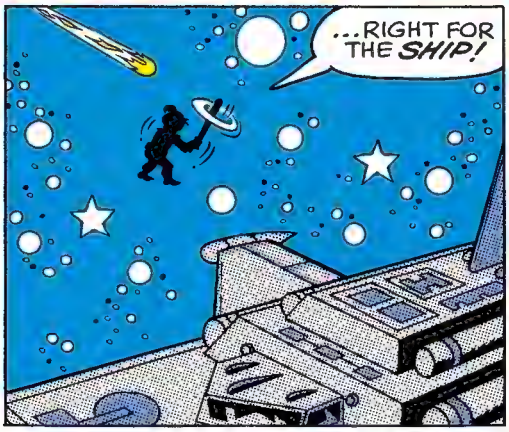
A BRIGHT LIGHT!

IT...IT'S A... FIREBALL!

AND...OH, MY GOSH... IT'S HEADING...


...RIGHT FOR THE SHIP!

SWAT!
GOOD SHOT, PLANET TERRY! FOUL, BUT A GOOD SHOT!

GULP! HERE COMES ANOTHER ONE!
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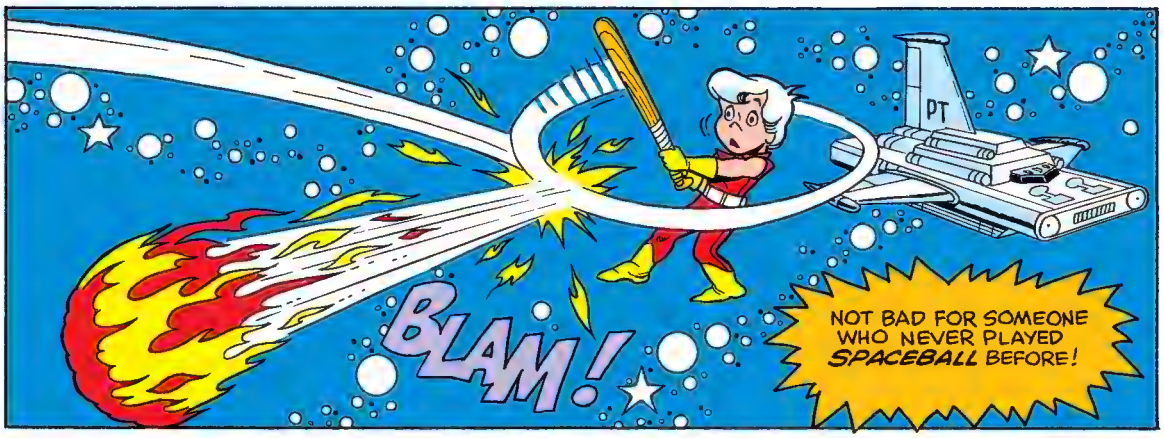
IN THIS GAME YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO LET A PITCH GO BY!


BLAM!
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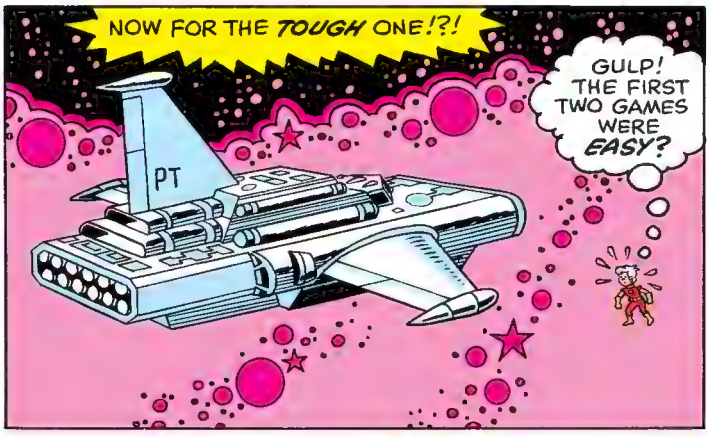
NOT BAD FOR SOMEONE WHO NEVER PLAYED SPACEBALL BEFORE!

...BUT, HEH HEH...YOU'RE NOT GOING TO HIT ONE OUT OF THIS BALLPARK!
OH, NO!

BLAMMO!

GOING...GOING...GOING...IT'S GONE! A HOME RUN! WELL PLAYED, PLANET TERRY!
PT

YOU HAVE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED GAMES ONE AND TWO!


NOW FOR THE TOUGH ONE!?!
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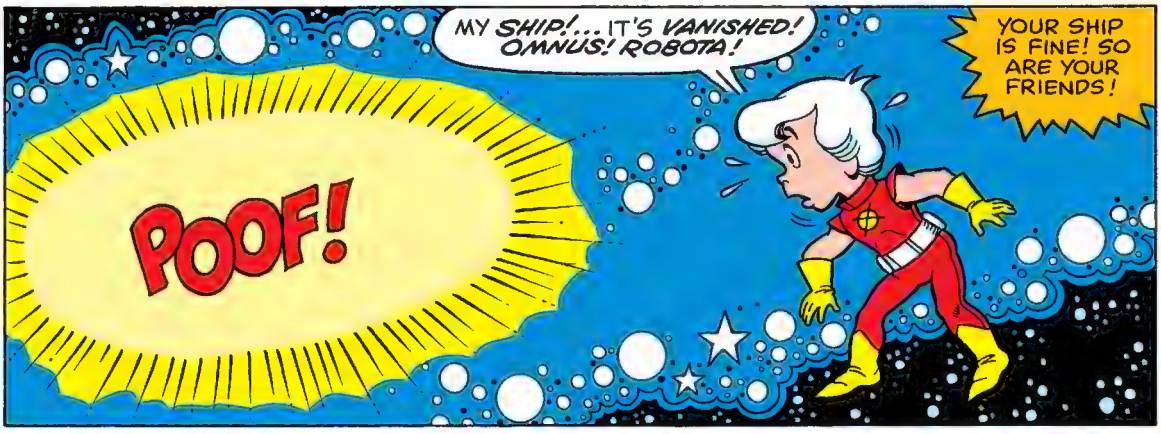
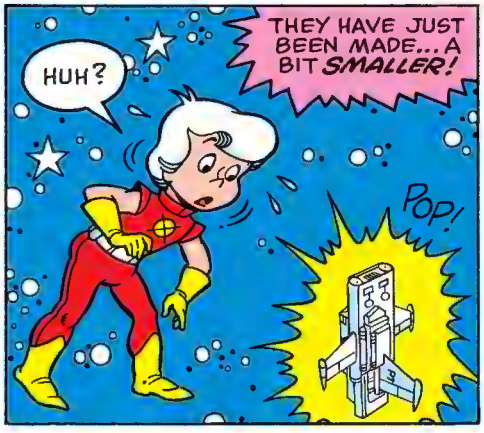
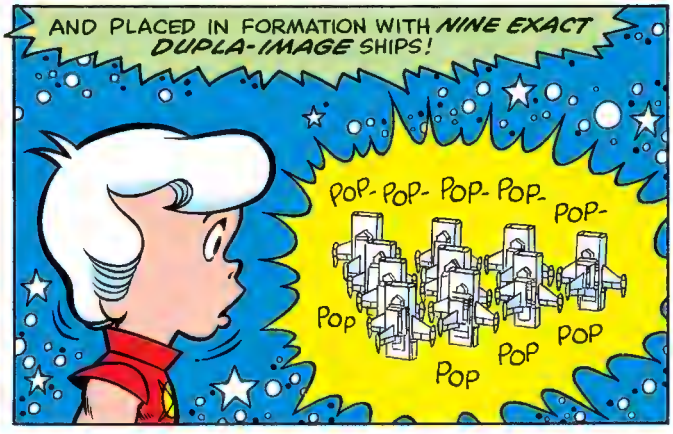
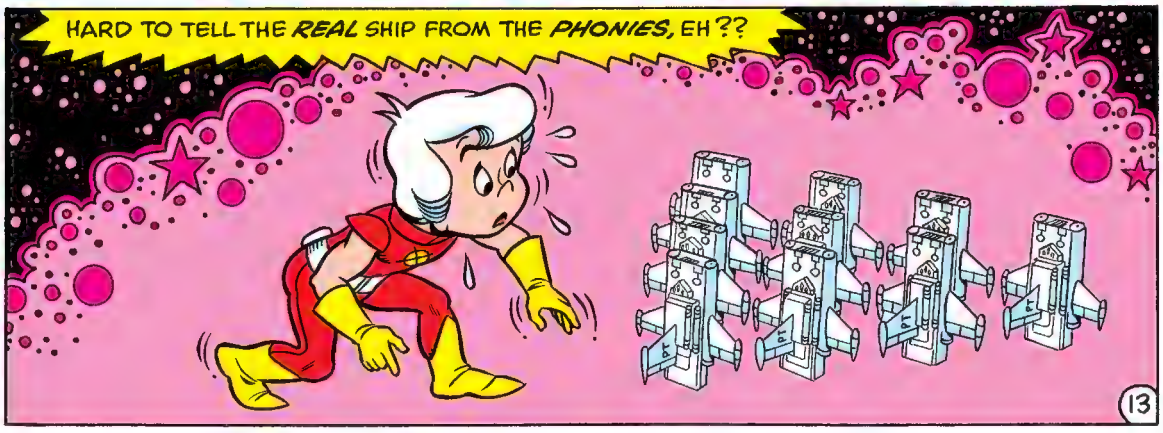
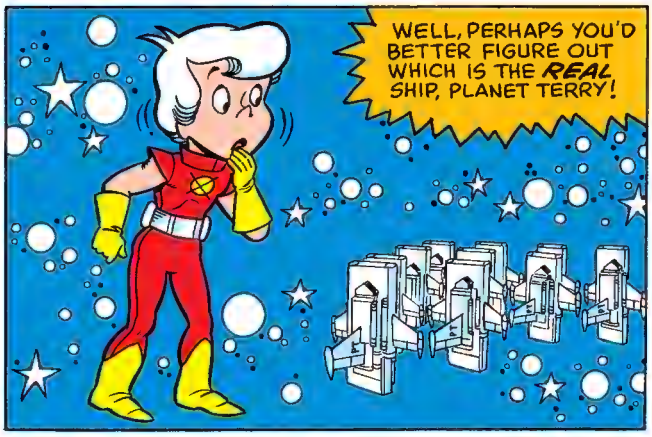
GULP! THE FIRST TWO GAMES WERE EASY?


MY SHIP!... IT'S VANISHED! OMNUS! ROBOTA!
YOUR SHIP IS FINE! SO ARE YOUR FRIENDS!
POOF!

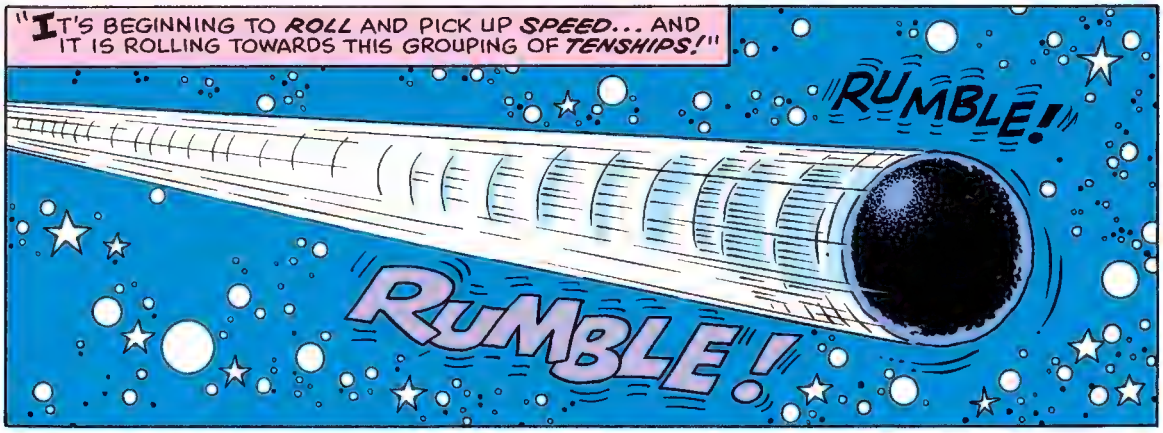

HUH?
THEY HAVE JUST BEEN MADE... A BIT SMALLER!
POP!

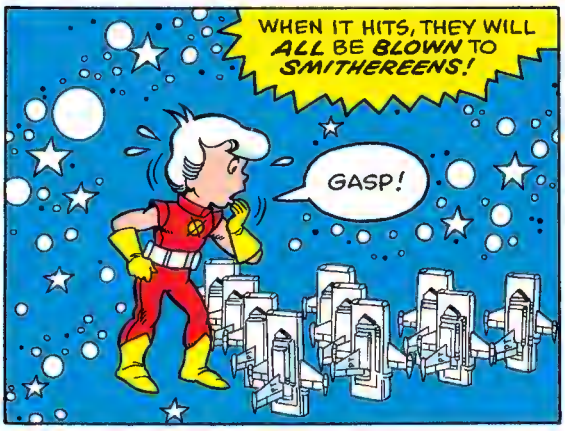

AND PLACED IN FORMATION WITH NINE EXACT DUPLA-IMAGE SHIPS!
POP- POP- POP- POP- POP-
POP
POP
POP
POP


HARD TO TELL THE REAL SHIP FROM THE PHONIES, EH??

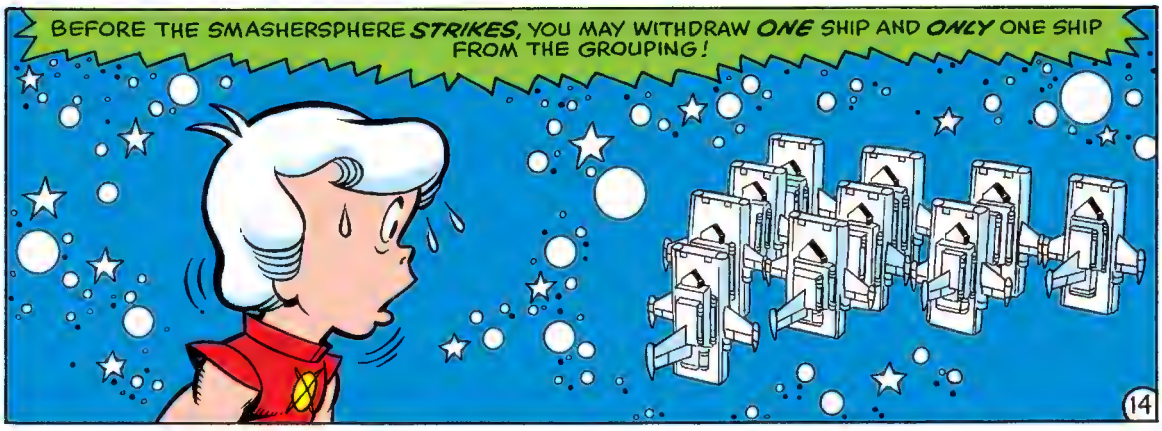

WELL, PERHAPS YOU'D BETTER FIGURE OUT WHICH IS THE REAL SHIP, PLANET TERRY!

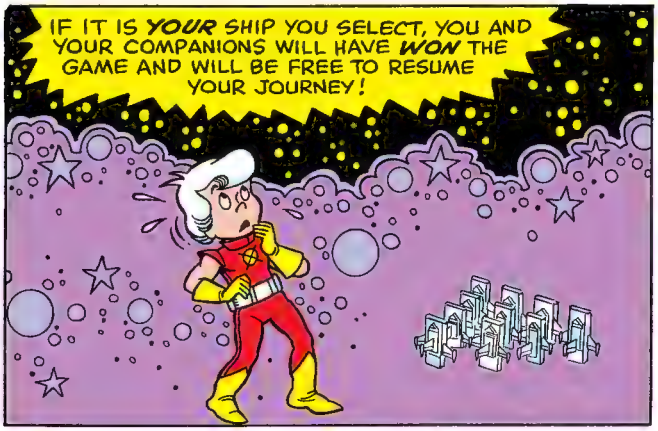
"BECAUSE SOMEWHERE OUT THERE IN SPACE...A SMASHERSPHERE IS STIRRING!


"IT'S BEGINNING TO ROLL AND PICK UP SPEED... AND IT IS ROLLING TOWARDS THIS GROUPING OF TENSHIPS!"
RUMBLE!
RUMBLE!


WHEN IT HITS, THEY WILL ALL BE BLOWN TO SMITHEREENS!
GASP!

HOW CAN I SAVE MY SHIP AND MY FRIENDS?
WE THOUGHT YOU'D NEVER ASK!


BEFORE THE SMASHERSPHERE STRIKES, YOU MAY WITHDRAW ONE SHIP AND ONLY ONE SHIP FROM THE GROUPING!


IF IT IS YOUR SHIP YOU SELECT, YOU AND YOUR COMPANIONS WILL HAVE WON THE GAME AND WILL BE FREE TO RESUME YOUR JOURNEY!

IF YOU SELECT ONE OF THE DUPLA-IMAGES... YOU AND YOUR COMPANIONS... LOSE!

RUMBLE!
RUMBLE!
YOU DO NOT HAVE MUCH TIME, PLANET TERRY! MAKE YOUR SELECTION THE RIGHT ONE!

RUMBLE
RUMBLE
WHICH ONE DO I PICK?? THEY ALL LOOK EXACTLY ALIKE!

RUMBLE-RUMBLE!

RUMBLE!
RUMBLE!
WHICH ONE? WHICH??
TIME IS RUNNING OUT! SELECT!!

THE SECRET OF THE SPACE WARP PART 3

PLANET TERRY IN FOUND

AT THAT MOMENT... ON TERRY'S SHIP...

...I'VE...GOT...TO... *HELP*...TERRY!

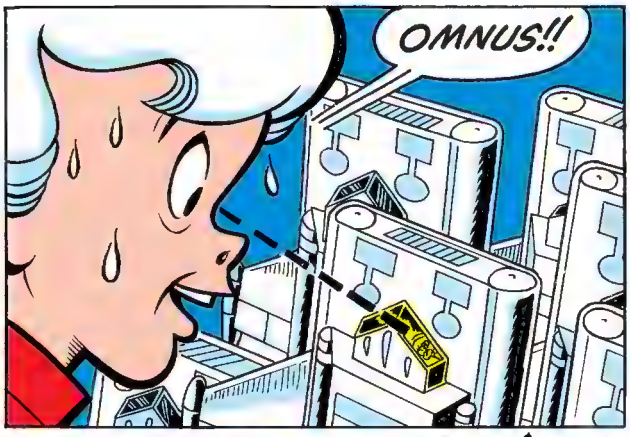
UGH...UGH...I MUST...*MOVE!*

UGH!

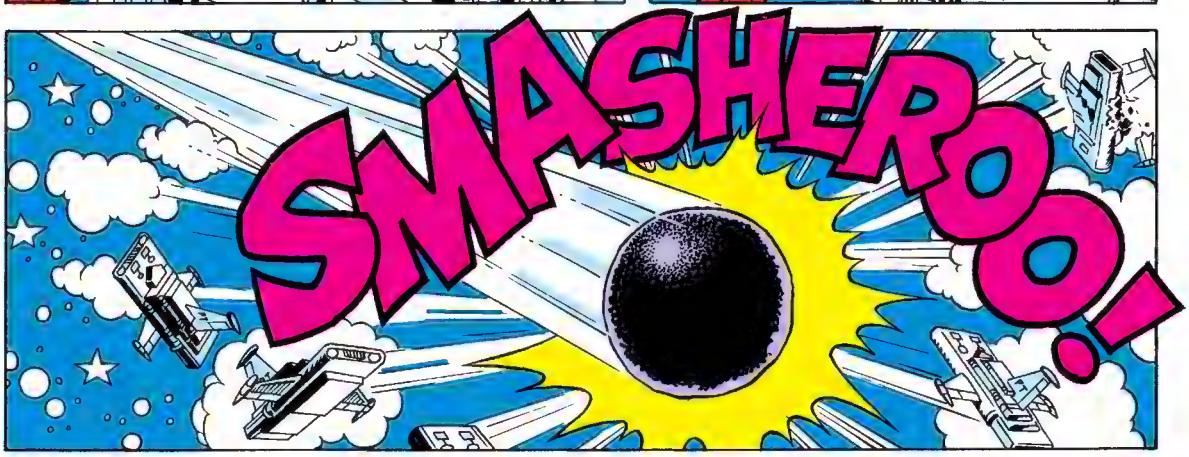
WHILE *OUTSIDE*...

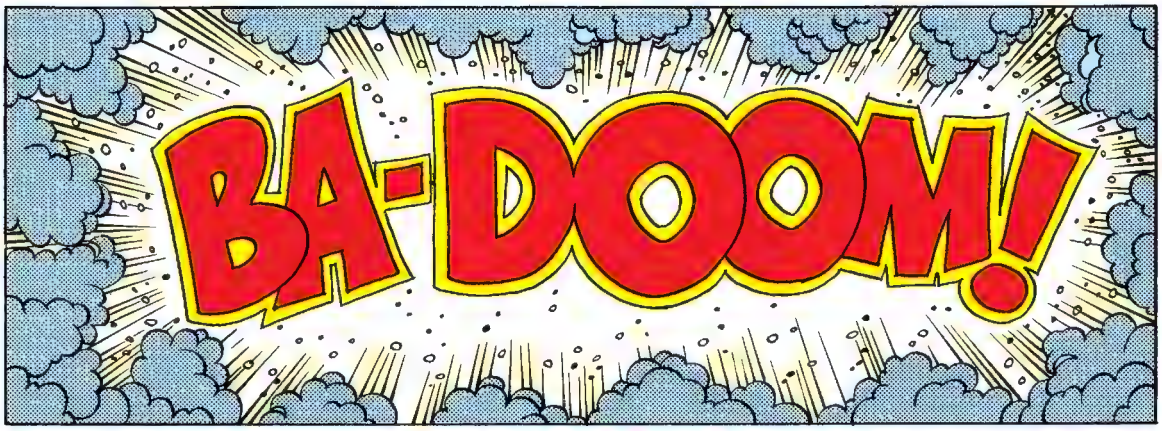
RUMBLE! RUMBLE! RUMBLE

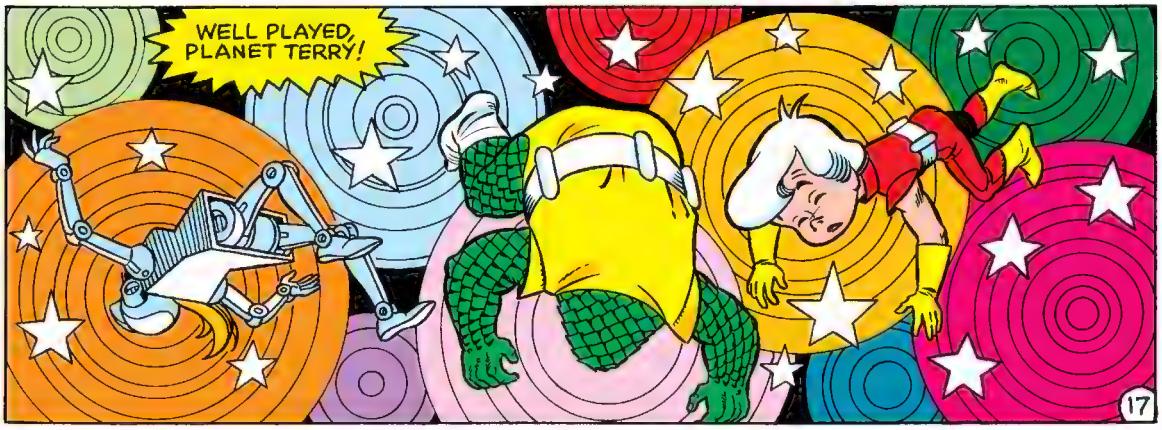
YOUR TIME IS UP! SELECT NOW!!


OMNUS!!

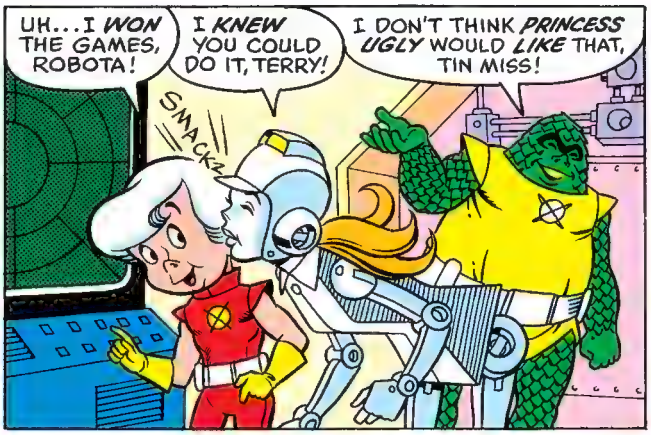
GRAB!

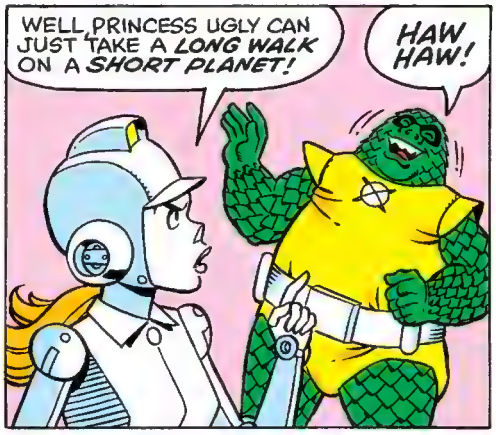

SMASHEROO!


BA-DOOM!

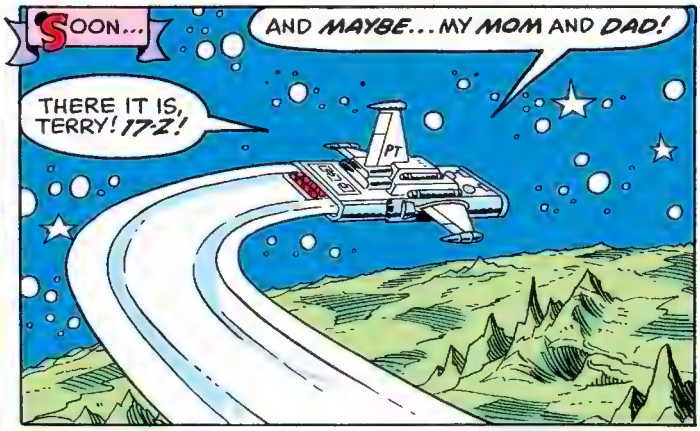

WELL PLAYED, PLANET TERRY!

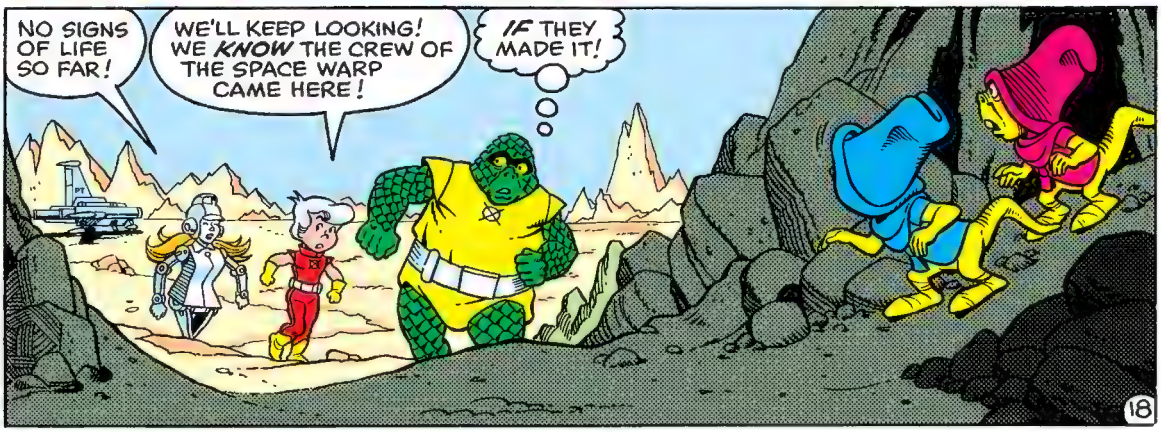
YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS ARE FREE TO CONTINUE YOUR JOURNEY! HAVE A NICE DAY!
TH-THANKS A LOT!!
WH-WHAT HAPPENED?

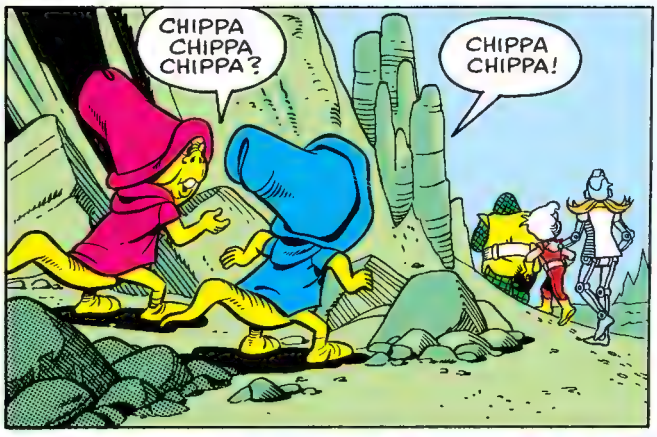

UH... I WON THE GAMES, ROBOTA!
I KNEW YOU COULD DO IT, TERRY!
I DON'T THINK PRINCESS UGLY WOULD LIKE THAT, TIN MISS!
SMACK!

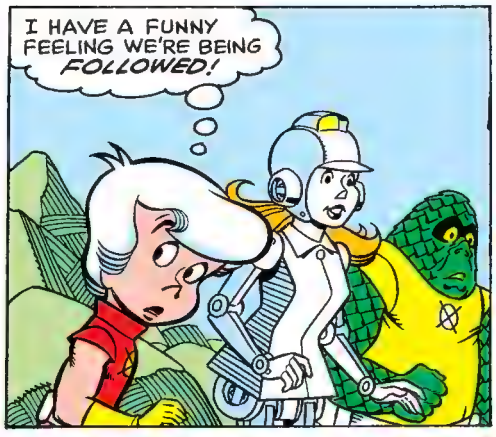

WELL, PRINCESS UGLY CAN JUST TAKE A LONG WALK ON A SHORT PLANET!
HAW HAW!

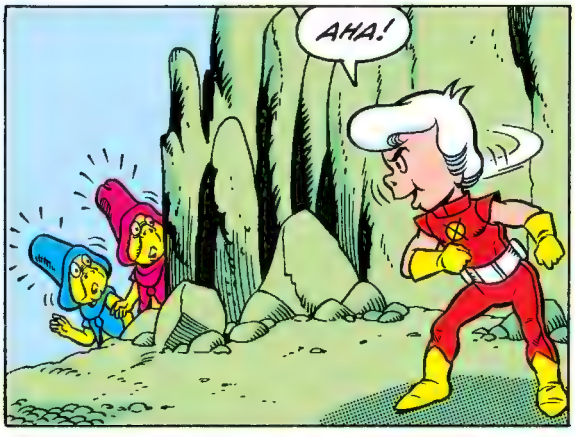
HEY! CUT IT OUT, YOU TWO! WE'VE GOT A PLANETOID TO GET TO!

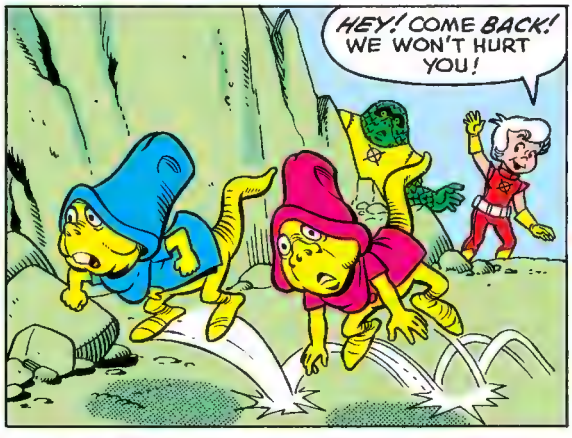

SOON...
AND MAYBE... MY MOM AND DAD!
THERE IT IS, TERRY! 17-Z!


NO SIGNS OF LIFE SO FAR!
WE'LL KEEP LOOKING! WE KNOW THE CREW OF THE SPACE WARP CAME HERE!
IF THEY MADE IT!

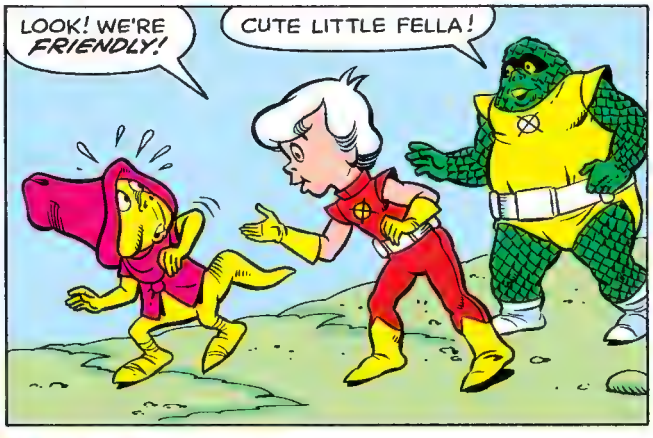

CHIPPA CHIPPA CHIPPA?
CHIPPA CHIPPA!


I HAVE A FUNNY FEELING WE'RE BEING FOLLOWED!

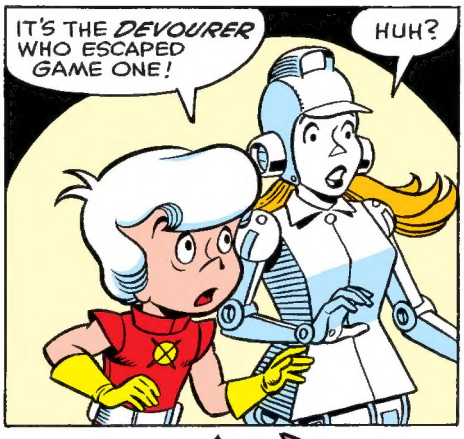

AHA!

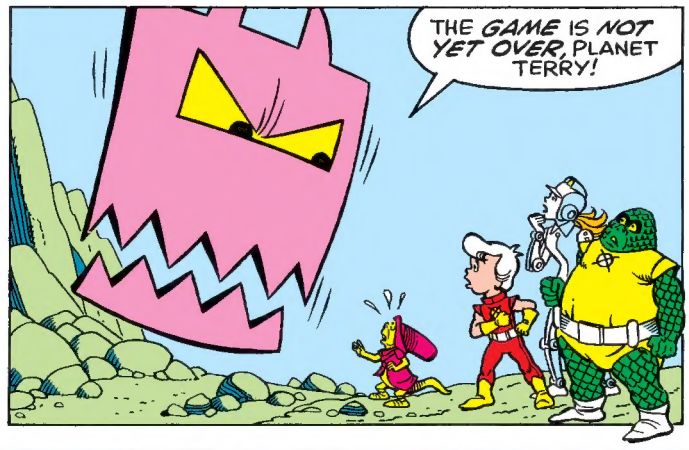

HEY! COME BACK! WE WON'T HURT YOU!

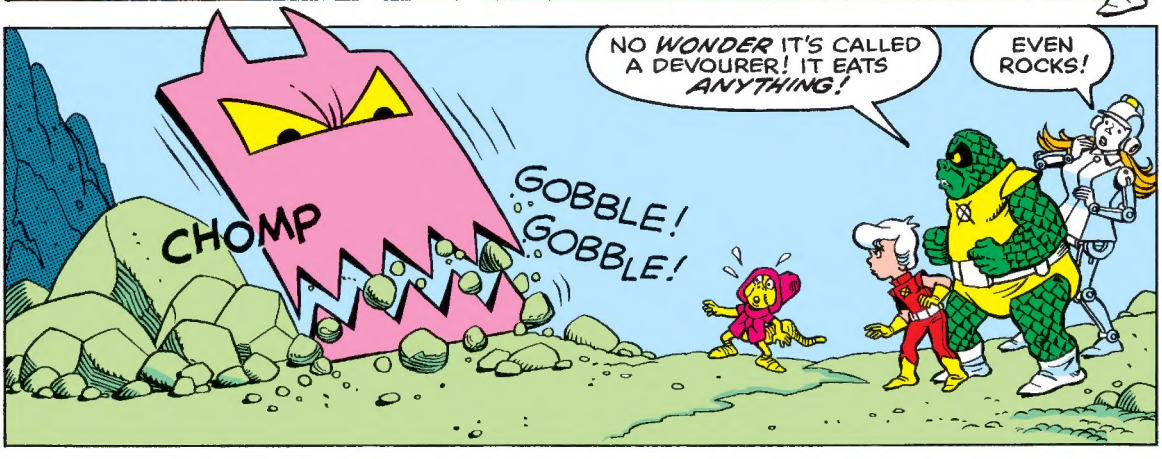
OMPH!!

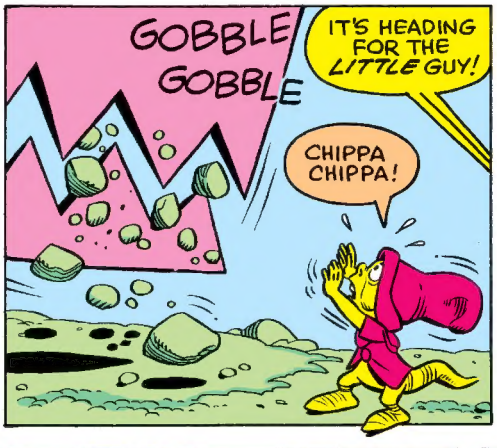

LOOK! WE'RE FRIENDLY!
CUTE LITTLE FELLA!

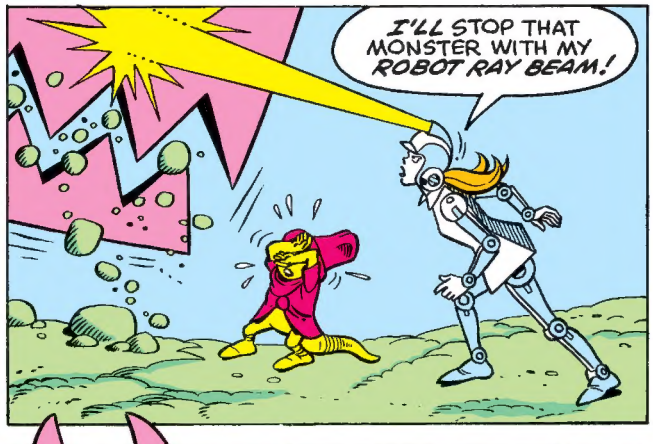
ROWRRRRRRRRRRR
YIPES! WH-WHAT IS THAT?

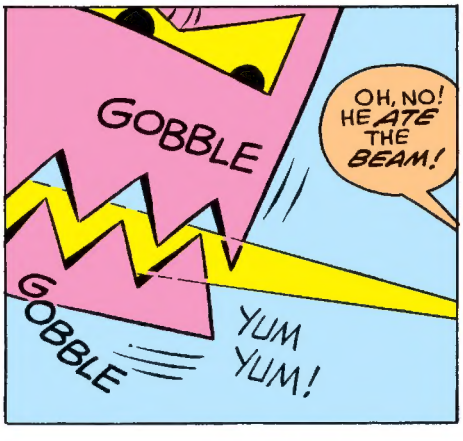

IT'S THE DEVOURER WHO ESCAPED GAME ONE!
HUH?

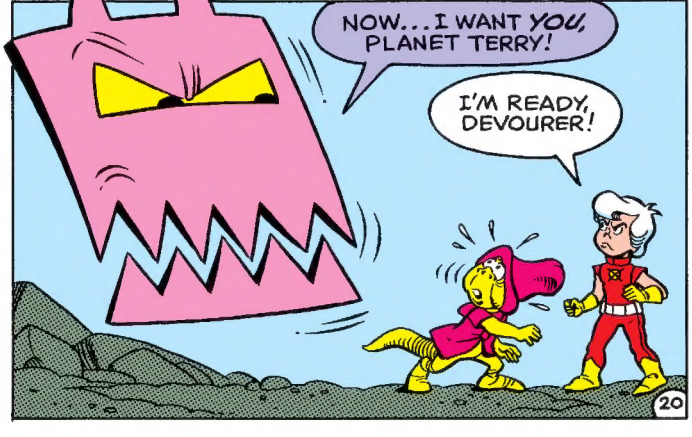

THE GAME IS NOT YET OVER, PLANET TERRY!


CHOMP
GOBBLE! GOBBLE!
NO WONDER IT'S CALLED A DEVOURER! IT EATS ANYTHING!
EVEN ROCKS!

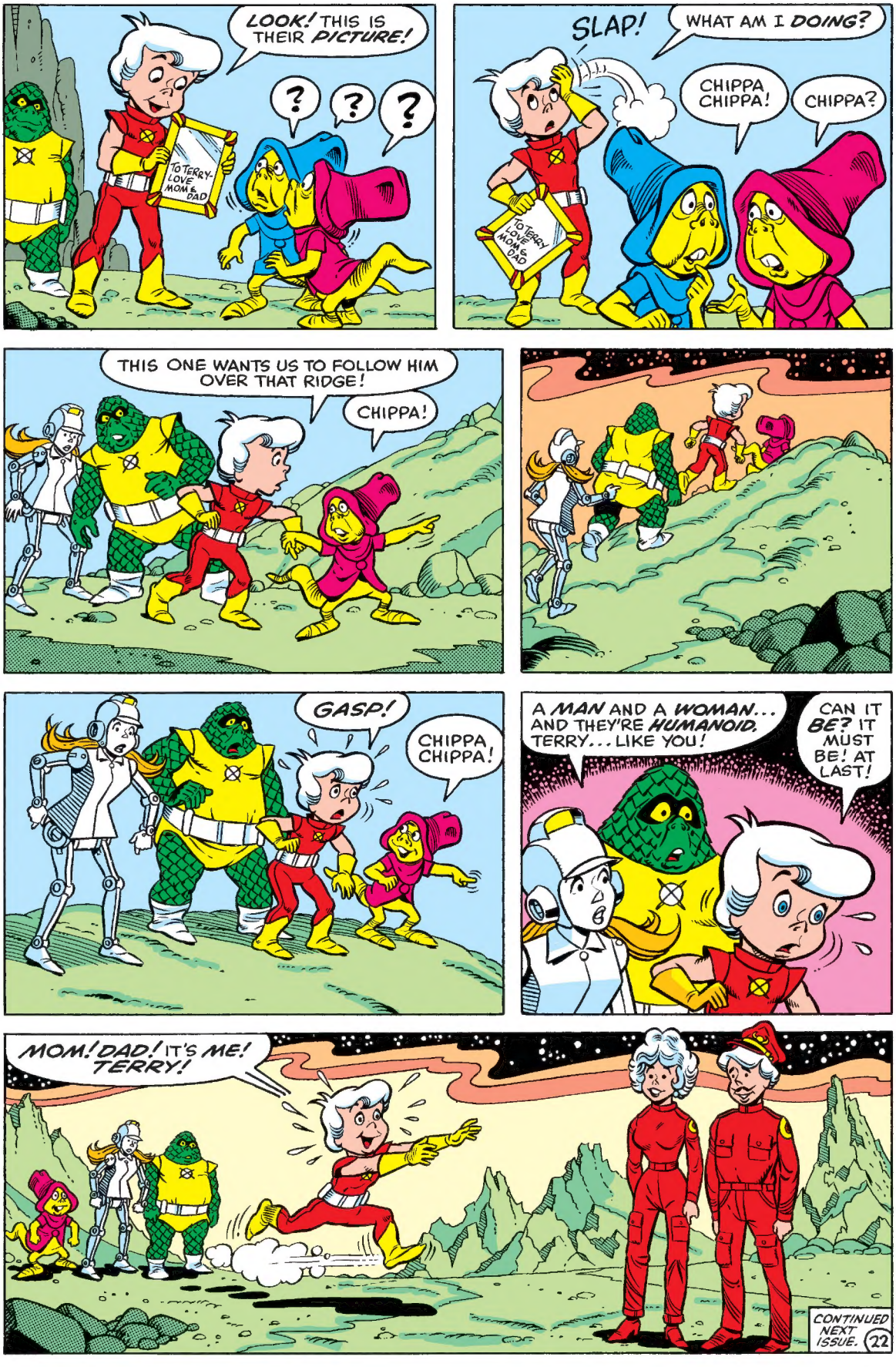

GOBBLE GOBBLE
IT'S HEADING FOR THE LITTLE GUY!
CHIPPA CHIPPA!


I'LL STOP THAT MONSTER WITH MY ROBOT RAY BEAM!


GOBBLE
GOBBLE
OH, NO! HE ATE THE BEAM!
YUM YUM!


NOW... I WANT YOU, PLANET TERRY!
I'M READY, DEVOURER!

YOU'VE GOT TO GET PAST OMNUS FIRST, YOU OVER-GROWN NIGHT-MARE!
AS YOU WISH, GREEN ONE!
YOUR TEETH LOOK KIND OF DINGY! DON'T YOU SEE YOUR DENTIST TWICE A YEAR?
BAM!
SINCE YOU LIKE TO EAT SO MUCH...
I'M SURE YOU'LL ENJOY MY BLUE PLATE SPECIAL...
POW!
...A KNUCKLE SANDWICH TO GO!
WHAMMO!
NICE GOING, OMNUS!
I WONDER WHAT THEY'RE SAYING?
PROBABLY THANKING YOU FOR WHAT YOU DID! I'LL TRY TALKING TO THEM!
CHIPPA CHIPPA!
CHIPPA
CHIPPA
UH... MANY YEARS AGO, PEOPLE WHO LOOK LIKE ME CAME HERE! DO YOU KNOW WHERE THEY ARE?
CHIPPA CHIPPA?


LOOK! THIS IS THEIR PICTURE!
TO TERRY- LOVE MOM & DAD
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?
?
SLAP!
WHAT AM I DOING?
CHIPPA CHIPPA!
CHIPPA?
TO TERRY LOVE MOM & DAD
THIS ONE WANTS US TO FOLLOW HIM OVER THAT RIDGE!
CHIPPA!
GASP!
CHIPPA CHIPPA!
A MAN AND A WOMAN... AND THEY'RE HUMANOID, TERRY... LIKE YOU!
CAN IT BE? IT MUST BE! AT LAST!
MOM! DAD! IT'S ME! TERRY!
CONTINUED NEXT ISSUE.

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